

1 A regional government is anything that covers
2 the region^{the} which is defined in 7.01 as an area comprising
3 all or parts of two or more counties. It would be any
4 governmental unit which acts in that area. ^{For instance,} It could
5 ~~for instance~~ be a mass transit authority, if the board
6 members were popularly elected.

7 ~~THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Case.~~

8 DELEGATE CASE: Could, for example, a multi-
9 county governmental unit have as its governing head a
10 popularly elected representative regional government?

11 DELEGATE MOSER: No. ~~Put it this way. I think you~~
12 ~~included too much with your question if I may say that.~~
13 ~~Multi-county governmental unit would not be an -- well,~~
14 ~~put this this way.~~

15 If a multi-county governmental unit has elected a
16 popularly elected representative board, then it becomes a
17 regional government (in effect) as the term is used here. It
18 becomes a popularly elected representative regional govern-
19 ment.

20 ~~THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Case.~~

21 DELEGATE CASE: Then it would be possible for the